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*A Picturesque Arab Power Fighting with the Allies*



One of the principal streets in Jeddah, a port on the Red Sea coast of Hedjaz, and the landing-place for Mecca, capital of the new kingdom  
Photographs from the French Pictorial Service



The so-called tomb of Eve, near Jeddah, one of the shrines of the Moslem world



Arabs and Arab dwellings in the outskirts of the town of Jeddah



A street scene in Jeddah, with typical Arabian architecture



The Mecca gate, Jeddah—Through this passes the great road of pilgrimage to Mecca, the holy city of Islam



The sok, or market-place, of Jeddah—In the background is the minaret of a mosque



The old fort at Akabah, a Red Sea port that was twice captured by the Crusaders



Akahab—The camp of a French mission which recently visited Hedjaz



Camels at a camp on the Red Sea—The camel is the chief freight-carrier of Hedjaz



A camp near Maan, at the northern end of Hedjaz, where there has been much fighting with the Turks





Mecca, the capital of Hedjaz—The open space surrounded by colonnades is the great haram, or mosque, in the center of which is the venerated Kaaba, a cubical stone building covered with a black cloth



Arab soldiers of the King of Hedjaz



El Ouedj, on the Red Sea coast of Hedjaz



A group of Arab officers at the camp near Gouera



The camp of the French mission near Gouera, Hedjaz



Shipping in the port of Yambu, the landing-place for Medina, the second sacred city of the Moslem world



Street scene in Yambu—The town has about six thousand people, and its trade depends mainly on the pilgrims



Camels on the beach of the Red Sea near Yambu, Hedjaz



A square in Yambu, with pack-camels resting, and a lofty minaret in the background



A battery of French mountain-artillery ascending the pass of Nagb-Estar, in Hedjaz—Note the curious rock scenery



